

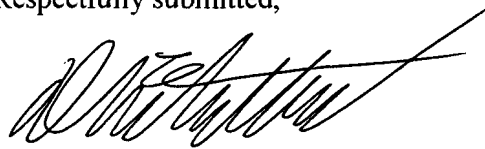
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evacuating said compartment to a predetermined pressure level; and  
sealing said compartment with said getter materials remaining therein to further remove at  
least said first and second gases or vapors which remain in said compartment or which permeate into  
said compartment.--

### REMARKS

The foregoing Amendment is supported by the attached Declaration signed by the inventors.

Entry of the foregoing amendment is respectfully requested prior to initial examination.

Respectfully submitted,



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